

SCAO FAMILY SERVICES 2007 CHILD WELFARE TRAINING SCHEDULE

Date of Training	Title (Bold font indicates that the Governor's Task Force on Children's Justice is the sponsor of the training.)	Location	Anticipated Attendees
February 19	Children's Law Section Annual Training (SCAO-FS is a cosponsor)	Cooley Law School Lansing	Judges, Attorneys, Children's Protective Services and Foster Care Workers
March 14	Appellate Issues in Child Protective Proceedings	Hall of Justice Lansing	L-GALs, Parents' Attorneys, Prosecutors, and Assistant Attorneys General
April 3-4	Paving the Road to Recovery and Reunification: Courts, Child Welfare, and Treatment Partners	Kellogg Center East Lansing	Judges, Attorneys, children's protective services, foster care, and adoption workers, tribes, CASAs, substance treatment providers, drug court personnel, legislators and policy makers, and related child welfare professionals
April 19-20	Foster Care Review Board (FCRB) New Board Member Orientation	Sheraton Lansing	FCRB new board members
June 6	Summer Series: Youth Transitioning From Foster Care (Education, Employment, and Housing Issues-tentative)	Kellogg Center East Lansing	Judges, Attorneys, Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoptions workers, tribes, CASAs, policy makers, and related child welfare professionals
June 18-19	DHS Conference on permanency and adoption issues (SCAO-FS is a cosponsor as part of our Summer Series: Youth Transitioning From Foster Care)		Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoption workers, tribes, CASAs, judges, Attorneys, and related child welfare professionals
July 10	Summer Series: Youth Transitioning From Foster Care	Kellogg Center East Lansing	Judges, Attorneys, Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoption workers, tribes, CASAs, and related child welfare professionals
July 25	Parents Advocacy Institute: Effective Advocacy by Parents' Attorneys in Child Protective Proceedings	Hall of Justice Lansing	Parents' Attorneys
August 2-3	DHS Conference on permanency and adoption issues (SCAO-FS is a cosponsor as part of our Summer Series: Youth Transitioning from Foster Care)		Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoptions workers, tribes, CASAs, judges, Attorneys, policy makers, and related child welfare professionals
September	Best Practices Forum- Permanency Issues (tentative)	Lansing	Judges, Attorneys, Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoptions workers, tribes, CASAs, policy makers, and related child welfare professionals
October 22-23	U of M Medical School Child Abuse and Neglect Conference (SCAO-FS is cosponsor)	Plymouth	Doctors and other medical personnel, law enforcement, judges, Attorneys, Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoptions workers, tribes, CASAs, and related child welfare professionals
November 8 -9	Foster Care Review Board Annual Training	Frankenmuth	FCRB members, program representatives, and invited guests
November	Poverty Issues Training and possible second day of "training the trainers" (tentative)		Judges, Attorneys, Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoptions workers, tribes, CASAs, and related child welfare professionals
December	Testifying in Court full day or 1/2 day with 1/2 day on Effective Petition Drafting and Report Writing (tentative)		Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoptions workers, tribes
April 9-10, 2008	Addressing Domestic Violence Issues in Child Welfare	Kellogg Center East Lansing	Judges, Attorneys, Children's Protective Services, DHS and private agency foster care and adoptions workers, tribes, CASAs, legislators and policy makers, DV treatment providers, and related child welfare professionals

